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FREQUENCY COMPENSATION SCHEME FOR LOW DROP OUT VOLTAGE REGULATORS. USING ADAPTIVE BIAS

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Co-pending U.S. Patent Application serial number 10/347,983 (DS-02-025) filed 01/21/03 to the same assignee, "Regulated Cascode Structure for Voltage Regulators," describes a LDO having an error amplifier as part of a current mirror output stage.

- U.S. Patent 6,246,221 to Xi, "PMOS Low Drop-out Voltage Regulator Using Non-inverting Variable Gain Stage," describes a high power supply ripple rejection (PSRR) internally compensated low drop-out (LDO) voltage regulator using an output PMOS pass device.
- U.S. Patent Application Publication US 2002/0130646 A1 to Zadeh et al., "Linear Voltage Regulator Using Adaptive Biasing," describes a linear voltage regulator, such as a low-dropout regulator, supplying power to one or more digital circuits within a computer system.
- U.S. Patent 6,518,737 to Stanescu et al., "Low Dropout Voltage Regulator with Non-Miller Frequency Compensation," discusses a low dropout voltage regulator with non-Miller frequency compensation.

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